

HOUSE RESOLUTION 43

By Odom

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Nashville Area Chamber Charities, Incorporated for exemplary support of community-focused organizations.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those organizations that, through the extraordinary efforts of their members, have improved Tennessee and contributed enormously to its economic development and well being; and

WHEREAS, as a sister organization to the Nashville Area Junior Chamber of Commerce (NAJCC), the Nashville Area Junior Chamber Charities, Incorporated is one such estimable organization that has provided great support to community services within the Nashville area; and

WHEREAS, always maintaining a steady focus on the civic interests of Nashville, the Junior Chamber Charities is the medium through which all of NAJCC's philanthropic and charitable activities occur; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Junior Chamber Charities have joined together to ensure that Nashville continues to be an outstanding place to live, work, and raise families; their work has especially contributed to bringing about the high quality of life that is enjoyed by the citizens of Nashville and Davidson County today; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Junior Charities Organization is to provide financial assistance and lend financial support in the nature of gifts to charitable organizations devoted to benevolent or altruistic undertakings; and

WHEREAS, area events sponsored by the NAJCC include the Joy of Giving, the Country Music Marathon, the Special Olympics, as well as partnering with Hands on Nashville; and

WHEREAS, those events, in addition to the Clinic Bowl, Rollin' on the River, and the Predator's Cup, have provided financial assistance for community-focused organizations in the Nashville area, thereby enabling the NAJCC to continue its eighty-year history of local philanthropic support; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud the members and staff of the Nashville Area Junior Chamber Charities, Incorporated for their years of demonstrated dedication to their community; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor and recognize the Nashville Area Junior Chamber Charities, Incorporated in providing years of generous giving to their community, thank them for their service to the citizens of Nashville and Tennessee, and extend to them our wishes for every continued success in all their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.